

FLY SWIFTLY. FLY STRONG. NEVER GIVE UP.



13 FOLEY ROAD ♦ PORTLAND, CT 06480

**S.B. No. 915 (RAISED) AN ACT AUTHORIZING BOW AND ARROW HUNTING
ON SUNDAY UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.**

On behalf of the Connecticut Falconers Association, I would like to submit the following testimony in support of S.B. No. 915 (RAISED) AN ACT AUTHORIZING BOW AND ARROW HUNTING ON SUNDAY UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.

This bill, which is supported by the DEEP as a deer management technique, is based on sound ecological science. DEEP biologists have noted that Sunday bow hunting will help control deer populations on private land, based on state deer populations in our state and their potential impact on the ecology of an area.

It's important to note that this bill will only allow bow hunting on private land with written permission by the landowner given to the hunter. Any landowner can refuse to allow hunting on Sunday. This bill does not affect State Land use or administer more tags for deer harvest.

I respectfully ask that you pass this bill again and move it from this committee to the legislative floor.

Thank you for your consideration of this testimony.

Regards,

Jon D'Arpino
Secretary, Connecticut Falconers Association